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**Amendment – A**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for your consideration.

A petition for extension of time for one (1) month is enclosed herewith, extending the period of response to February 6, 2006.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.